

REMARKS

Reconsideration and allowance of the present application based on the following remarks are respectfully requested.

The only rejection in the present application is an obviousness-type double patenting rejection. To obviate this rejection, a Terminal Disclaimer is filed with this Response.

The withdrawal of the restriction requirement with respect to the non-elected claims, as well as the prior rejections, is appreciated.

Conclusion

All objections and rejections having been addressed, it is respectfully submitted that the present application is in a condition for allowance, and a Notice to that effect is earnestly solicited.

If the Examiner has any questions or suggestions for facilitating prosecution, he is urged to contact the undersigned at the below-listed telephone number.

Please charge any fees associated with the submission of this paper to Deposit Account Number 033975. The Commissioner for Patents is also authorized to credit any over payments to the above-referenced Deposit Account.

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